

Gulf of Alaska Halibut Mortality Report

Through: 31-DEC-04

National Marine Fisheries Service Alaska Region, Sustainable Fisheries Catch Accounting



Trawl Fisheries

Deep Water Species Complex

| Season | Begin | End | Total Catch | Limit | Limit Remaining | % Taken |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|------------|--------------------|-------------|
| 1st Season | 20-JAN-04 | 01-APR-04 | 176 | 100 | -76 | 176% |
| 2nd Season | 01-APR-04 | 04-JUL-04 | 311 | 300 | -11 | 104% |
| 3rd Season | 04-JUL-04 | 01-SEP-04 | 386 | 400 | 14 | 96% |
| 4th Season | 01-SEP-04 | 30-SEP-04 | 2 | 0 | -2 | 0% |
| Total: | | | 875 | 800 | -75 | 109% |

Shallow Water Species Complex

| Season | Begin | End | Total Catch | Limit | Limit Remaining | % Taken |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|--------------|------------|--------------------|-------------|
| 1st Season | 20-JAN-04 | 01-APR-04 | 364 | 450 | 86 | 81% |
| 2nd Season | 01-APR-04 | 04-JUL-04 | 168 | 100 | -68 | 168% |
| 3rd Season | 04-JUL-04 | 01-SEP-04 | 195 | 200 | 5 | 97% |
| 4th Season | 01-SEP-04 | 30-SEP-04 | 840 | 150 | -690 | 560% |
| Total: | | | 1,567 | 900 | -667 | 174% |

Year-To-Date

| Account | Total Catch | Limit | Limit Remaining | % Taken | Last Wk Catch |
|---------------|-------------|-------|--------------------|---------|---------------|
| Trawl Fishery | 2,444 | 2,000 | -444 | 122% | 0 |

Other Hook-and-Line Fisheries

| Season | Begin | End | Total Catch | Limit | Limit Remaining | % Taken |
|------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|------------|--------------------|-------------|
| 1st Season | 01-JAN-04 | 10-JUN-04 | 195 | 250 | 55 | 78% |
| 2nd Season | 10-JUN-04 | 01-SEP-04 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 13% |
| 3rd Season | 01-SEP-04 | 31-DEC-04 | 98 | 35 | -63 | 281% |
| | | | 294 | 290 | -4 | 101% |

Deep-water species complex: sablefish, rockfish, deep-water flatfish, rex sole and arrowtooth flounder. Shallow-water species complex: pollock, Pacific cod, shallow-water flatfish, flathead sole, Atka mackerel, and 'other species'.

No apportionment between shallow-water and deep-water fishery complexes during October 1 to December 31 (300 mt allocated).

Other hook-and-line fisheries means all hook-and-line fisheries except sablefish and demersal shelf rockfish in the Southeast District. The hook-and-line sablefish fishery is exempt from halibut bycatch restrictions.

Halibut mortality for the demersal shelf rockfish fishery, Southeast District is not listed due to insufficient observer coverage.

Note: All weights are in metric tons.

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Data is based on observer reports, extrapolated to total groundfish harvest. Estimates for all weeks may change due to incorporation of late or corrected data.